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EDUCATION

2011 **Ph.D.**, Sociology, City University of New York Graduate Center

Committee: Frances Fox Piven (Chair), John Torpey, Ruth Milkman, Stanley

Aronowitz

Dissertation: "In Dubious Battle: A Case Study of the New Labor Transnationalism"

Winner, Best Dissertation Award, Working Class Studies Association

1999 **B.A.**, Sociology, Maxwell School of Public Affairs, Syracuse University

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

2011–present Middlebury College, Associate Professor of Sociology

Department of Sociology and Anthropology

2015–2016 Visiting Scholar, University of California, Berkeley

Institute for Research on Labor and Employment

FIELDS OF INTEREST

Work and Labor, Political Sociology, Global and Transnational Sociology, Social Movements, Political Economy, Social Theory

PUBLICATIONS

Books

2020	McCallum, J.K. Worked Over: How Round-the-Clock Work is Killing the American Dream. New York, NY: Basic Books.
2018	McCallum, J.K. <i>The Crisis of Global Youth Unemployment</i> . Edited volume with Tamar Mayer and Sujata Moorti. Routledge Studies in Human Geography. New York, NY: Routledge.
2013	McCallum, J.K. Global Unions, Local Power: The New Spirit of Transnational Labor Organizing. Ithaca, NY: Cornell ILR Press.
	Winner, Distinguished Book Award, Labor Section, American Sociological

Association

Honorable Mention, Outstanding Book Award, Society for the Study of Social

Problems

Articles and Book Chapters (* indicates peer review)

In progress	McCallum, J.K. "Why School Districts with Teachers Unions Are More Likely to Adopt Mask Mandates." (co-authored with Adam Dean)*
2018	McCallum, J.K. "Chapter 3: Take this Job and Love It? The Millennial Work Ethic and the Politics of Getting Back to Work." In <i>Youth, Jobs and the Future: Problems and Prospects</i> , edited by L. Chancer and M.S. Jankowski. Oxford, UK: Oxford University Press.
2018	McCallum, J.K. "Chapter 10: Time's Up! Shorter Hours, Public Policy, and Time Flexibility as an Antidote to Youth Unemployment." In <i>Youth, Jobs and the Future: Problems and Prospects</i> , edited by L. Chancer and M.S. Jankowski. Oxford, UK: Oxford University Press. (with Katherine Maich and Ari Grant-Sasson)
2018	McCallum, J.K. "Global Laborscapes of Youth Unemployment: Introduction." Pp. 23–37 in <i>The Crisis of Global Youth Unemployment</i> , edited by Tamar Mayer, Sujata Moorti, and Jamie McCallum. Routledge Studies in Human Geography. New York, NY: Routledge. (with Tamar Mayer and Sujata Moorti)
2017	McCallum, J.K. "The New Global Labor Studies: A Critical Review." <i>Global Labour Journal</i> 8(3). (with Marissa Brookes) *
2017	"Reflecting on <i>Global Unions, Local Power</i> ." <i>Journal of World Systems Research</i> 23(1): 213–218. (review symposium on my book)
2015	McCallum, J.K. "Implementing Global Framework Agreements: The Limits of Social Partnership." <i>Global Networks</i> 15: 65–85. (with Michael Fichter) *
2015	McCallum, J.K. "Governance Struggles and Worker Power: The New Spirit of Labor Transnationalism." Pp. 143–158 in <i>Labour and Transnational Action in Times of Crisis</i> , edited by Andreas Bieler. Rowman & Littlefield International.
2013	McCallum, J.K. "The International Division of Labor." In <i>Sociology of Work</i> , edited by Vicki Smith. Thousand Oaks, CA: SAGE.
2011	McCallum, J.K. "Organizing The 'Unorganized': Varieties of Transnational Trade Union Collaboration And Social Dialogue in Two Indian Cities." <i>The Journal of Workplace Rights</i> (special issue on labor in the global South), 15(3–4): 399–419. *
2011	McCallum. J.K. "No Borders, No Boundaries: Labor Faces the Challenges of Globalism." <i>Working USA: The Journal of Labor and Society</i> , XIV: 125–128. (Guest Editor of Special Issue on Labor Transnationalism)
2011	McCallum, J.K. "Trade Union Renewal and Labor Transnationalism in South Africa: The Case of SATAWU." <i>Working USA: The Journal of Labor and Society</i> , XIV: 161–176. *

2010 McCallum, J.K. "The Culture of Poverty: Don't Call It a Comeback!" *Formations: The Graduate Center Journal of Social Research*, 1(1). (with Brady, M. and Dunn, K.)

Book Reviews

- McCallum, J.K. "Review of Hard Sell: Work and Resistance in Retail Chains by Peter Ikeler." American Journal of Sociology, 123(4): 1217–1219.
 McCallum, J.K. "Review of The Darjeeling Distinction: Labor and Justice on Fair-Trade Tea Plantations in India by Sarah Besky." Comparative Law and Policy Journal, 36(2): 333–336.
 McCallum, J.K. "Labor and Inequality: American Society After the Decline of Unions, Review of What Unions No Longer Do by Jake Rosenfeld." Contemporary Sociology, 44(2): 167–170.
 McCallum, J.K. "Review of The Future of Union Organizing: Building for
- Tomorrow. Edited by Gregor Gall." British Journal of Industrial Relations, 49(4): 805–807.
- 2011 McCallum, J.K. "Review of *Anarchism and its Aspirations* by Cindy Milstein." *Znet.* Accessible here: http://www.revolutionbythebook.akpress.org/aspirations-realities-cindy-milsteins-book-reviewed-on-znet/. (with Chris Dixon)
- 2010 McCallum, J.K. "Review of Global Unions Global Business: Global Union Federations and International Business by Richard Croucher and Elizabeth Cotton." British Journal of Industrial Relations, 48(2): 490–492.
- 2007 McCallum, J.K. "Review of Exit-Voice Dynamics and the Collapse of East Germany: The Crisis of Leninism and the Revolution of 1989 by Steven Pfaff." Mobilization, 12:3.
- 2005 McCallum, J.K. "Review of *Varieties of Unionism: Strategies for Union Revitalization in a Globalizing Economy*, by Carola M. Frege and John Kelly (Eds.)." *Regional Studies*, 39:6.

Public Scholarship and Commentary

- 2020 McCallum, J.K. "Capitalism Can't Give Us Meaningful Work." *Jacobin*. October 26. Accessible here: https://jacobinmag.com/2020/10/capitalism-work-hours-worked-over-american-dream
- McCallum, J.K. "COVID-19 is a Referendum on the Value of Work." *The Globe and Mail.* September 11. Accessible here: https://www.theglobeandmail.com/opinion/article-the-pandemic-is-a-referendum-on-the-value-of-work/

2020	McCallum, J.K. "The Portland Military Policing Model Isn't the Beginning of a Trend — It's the Culmination of One." <i>Jacobin</i> . September 9. Accessible here: https://www.jacobinmag.com/2020/07/portland-military-policing-blm-protests
2020	McCallum, J.K. "This Labor Day, Let's Remember Labor's Forgotten Fight—Shorter Hours and Control Over Work Time." <i>In These Times</i> . September 7. Accessible here: https://inthesetimes.com/article/labor-day-work-time-covid-19-2020
2020	McCallum, J.K. "The Battle of Seattle at 20." <i>The American Prospect</i> . November 11. Accessible here: https://prospect.org/power/the-battle-of-seattle-at-20-wto-protests/
2019	McCallum, J.K. "They Made Money Off Our Blood, Sweat, and Tears." <i>Jacobin</i> . September 9. Accessible here: https://www.jacobinmag.com/2019/09/general-motors-strike-autoworkers-gm-uaw
2019	McCallum, J.K. "All Ideas Are Political." <i>Jacobin</i> . February 10. Accessible here: https://jacobinmag.com/2019/02/nathan-glazer-sociology-erik-olin-wright-ideology
2018	McCallum, J.K. "Getting the Common Goods." <i>Jacobin</i> . August 11. Accessible here: https://www.jacobinmag.com/2018/08/north-carolina-teacher-union-strike-education-schools
2018	McCallum, J.K. "There's No Trick." <i>Jacobin</i> . January 23. Accessible here: https://jacobinmag.com/2018/01/janus-afscme-right-to-work-public-unions-dues
2017	McCallum, J.K. "Trump's Trade Reforms will not Raise American Wages." <i>Labor Notes</i> . February 9. Accessible here: http://labornotes.org/blogs/2017/02/viewpoint-trumps-trade-reforms-will-not-increase-us-wages (with Adam Dean)
2016	McCallum, J.K. "Before Europe Lets Uber Run Wild, It Should Consider What It Did to US Workers" <i>Yes Magazine</i> . October 7. Accessible here: http://www.yesmagazine.org/new-economy/before-europe-lets-uber-run-wild-it-should-consider-what-it-did-to-us-workers-20161007
2016	McCallum, J.K. "The Base is Not Enough: Labor Organizing Under Trump Means Civil Disobedience" <i>Toward Freedom</i> . November 30. Accessible here: https://towardfreedom.org/archives/labor/the-base-is-not-enough-labor-organizing-under-trump-means-civil-disobedience-and-bridge-building/
2016	McCallum, J.K. "Why Colin Kaepernick is Winning" <i>Dissent</i> . September 23. Accessible here: https://www.dissentmagazine.org/blog/why-colin-kaepernick-winning-black-lives-matter (with Jack McCallum)
2016	McCallum, J.K. "The World Social Forum Just Concluded—Here's What Happened." <i>The Washington Post</i> . August 18. Accessible here: https://www.washingtonpost.com/news/monkey-cage/wp/2016/08/18/the-world-social-forum-aka-the-anti-davos-just-concluded-heres-what-happened/ (with Sarah Stroup)
2016	McCallum, J.K. "The Right Place for the Left? The World Social Forum in Montreal." <i>Open Democracy</i> . September 20. Accessible here:

	https://www.opendemocracy.net/openglobalrights/jamie-k-mccallum-sarah-s-stroup/right-place-for-left-world-social-forum-in-montreal (with Sarah Stroup)
2016	McCallum, J.K. "Where Have all the Strikers Gone?" <i>In These Times</i> . July 5. Accessible here: http://inthesetimes.com/working/entry/19254/where_have_all_the_strikers_gone
2016	McCallum, J.K. "Digging into the Meaning of Work—With Real Shovels." <i>Yes Magazine</i> . April 1. Accessible here: http://www.yesmagazine.org/people-power/digging-into-the-meaning-of-work-real-shovels-04012016
2015	McCallum, J.K. "Global Unions, Local Power: A New Spirit for Labor?" Work in Progress: A Blog of the American Sociological Association Section on Organizations, Occupations, and Work. March 25. Accessible here: http://workinprogress.oowsection.org/2015/03/26/global-unions-local-power-a-new-spirit-for-labor/
2015	McCallum, J.K. "Unions are the Solution." <i>The Middlebury Campus</i> . April 29. Accessible here: https://middleburycampus.com/31545/opinion/unions-are-the-solution/ (with Alice Oshima)
2014	McCallum, J.K. "Labor's Global Prospects: What SEIU's G4S Campaign Teaches Organizers." <i>Social Policy</i> 44(1).
2013	McCallum, J.K. "Backbone of Sustainable Food: Food Chain Workers and Their Working Conditions in Vermont." A Report by the Vermont Fair Food Campaign and United Electrical Workers Research and Education Fund. (with Rob Sauté)
2012	McCallum, J.K. "Supporting Dissent versus Being Dissent." In <i>Confronting Finance: Mobilizing the 99% for Economic and Social Progress.</i> Eds. Nicolas Ponsi Vignon and Phumzile Ncube. International Labour Office: 57–63. (with Steven Toff)
2012	McCallum, J.K. "Globalizing Labor Relations: On Track with Framework Agreements?" Friedrich Ebert Stiftung Perspektive. Accessible here: http://library.fes.de/pdf-files/iez/09422-20121129.pdf (with Michael Fichter et al)
2011	McCallum, J.K. "NLRB rule changes ensure workers' right to vote." <i>The Hill</i> . Accessible here: http://thehill.com/blogs/congress-blog/labor/196839-nlrb-rule-changes-ensure-workers-right-to-vote
2011	McCallum, J.K. "Export Processing Zones: Comparative Data from China, Honduras, Nicaragua and South Africa, Working Paper 21." <i>The Industrial and Employment Relations Department, Geneve.</i> Accessible here: http://www.ilo.org/ifpdial/information-resources/publications/WCMS_158364/lang-en/index.htm
2009	McCallum, J.K. <i>Time's Up: NYC Homeless People Demand Alternatives to Bloomberg's Failed Five-Year Plan</i> . Report produced for Picture the Homeless and New York City Mayor's Office.

DIGITAL SCHOLARSHIP

2016 McCallum, J.K. "The Real Work" (6 minutes).

Writer, Director, Producer.

New Hampshire International Film Festival (Premiere)

Wandering Reel Film Festival

Social Justice International Film Festival Canadian International Labor Film Festival Big Easy Documentary Shorts Festival

Hosted at Yes Magazine: http://www.yesmagazine.org/people-power/digging-into-

the-meaning-of-work-real-shovels-04012016

2016 McCallum, J.K. "The Importance of Being Unruly" (6 minutes).

Writer, Director, Producer.

Hosted at In These Times:

http://inthesetimes.com/working/entry/19254/where_have_all_the_strikers_gone

GRANTS AND AWARDS

2018	International Travel Funding Grant (Morocco)
2016	International Travel Funding Grant (Montreal, Canada)
2015	Fellowship, the Digital Liberal Arts
2015	Antipode Global Geographies of Labor Award
2014	International Travel Funding Grant (New Zealand)
2014	Distinguished Book Award, American Sociological Association
2014	Outstanding Book Award (Honorable Mention), SSSP
2014	One Middlebury Grant, Monterrey Institute of International Studies
2013-2014	Mellon Grant to support course development (IGST 404)
2012-2013	Salzburg Global Seminar Presidential Fellow
2012	Best Dissertation, Constance Coiner Award, Working Class Studies Association
2010–2011	CUNY Dissertation Fellowship, CUNY Graduate Center.
2010–2011	Fellowship, Center for Place, Culture and Politics
2010–2012	Postdoctoral Research Fellowship, University of Johannesburg, South Africa.
	Department of Sociology (Declined)
2008-2009	Research Grant Program for CUNY Doctoral Students
2006–2007	Research Grant Program for CUNY Doctoral Students
2010	Research Travel Grant, Hans-Boeckler Stiftung, Berlin 2010–2012
2009	Travel Grant, Department of Sociology, CUNY Graduate Center
2008	Conference Travel Grant, Department of Sociology, CUNY Graduate Center
2006	Research Travel Grant, Doctoral Students Council, The CUNY Graduate Center

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Middlebury College, Associate Professor

2020	The American Left (FYSE)
2018	Sex and Society: An Introduction (FYSE)
2017	Topics in Sociological Theory
2015	Sex and Society
2014	Global Geographies of Labor and Youth
2014	Social Change: Theory and Practice
2013	Great Transformations (FYSE)
2013	Organizing for Social Change (J-Term)
2012-2017	Political Sociology
2012-2020	Society and the Individual
2011–2020	Sociology of Labor
2011–2014	Sociology of Globalization

CUNY TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Queens College, Adjunct Instructor

2008–2010 Labor in Fiction and Film

Labor and Globalization

Hunter College, Adjunct Instructor

2007–2008 Political Sociology

Murphy Institute for Worker Education, Adjunct Instructor

2006–2007 Sociology of Work

College of Staten Island, Adjunct Instructor

2004 Social Problems

MENTORSHIP

2018	Faculty Cohort Leader, MiddCORE
2017	Faculty Mentor, MiddCORE

SELECT INVITED LECTURES

2020	"P&P Live! Jamie McCallum Worked Over with Meagan Day." Politics and Prose, virtual. September 11.
2020	"Jamie K. McCallum "On <i>Worked Over</i> " in Conversation with Steven Greenhouse." McNally Jackson Independent Booksellers, virtual. October 6.
2020	"At Home with Literati: Jamie K. McCallum and Frances Fox Piven." Literati Bookstore, virtual. September 16.

2020	"This is What Democracy Looked Like! The Long Shadow of Radical Politics Since the Battle of Seattle" Vassar College. March 2.
2019	"This is What Democracy Looked Like! Reflections on the WTO Protests in Seattle." Bowdoin College. March 6.
2019	"This is What Democracy Looked Like! Reflections on the WTO Protests in Seattle." Middlebury College. March 9.
2019	"This is What Democracy Looked Like!" Harvard University. November 11.
2016	"Against Work: The Indignity of the Daily Grind." UC Berkeley. September 16.
2016	"Fully Digitized Labor Sociology for the Big Screen." California Center for Integral Studies. September 13.
2016	"Labor Geography from North America to the Global South." Temple University. February 17.
2015	"Hard Work for Hard Times: The Millennial Work Ethic." Hunter College. October 23.
2015	"Global Unions, Global Governance." UC Riverside, Riverside, CA. October 1.
2014	"Labor and Global Governance in China." Beijing University of Technology, Beijing, China. December 28.
2014	"Author Meets Critics Book Talk." International Sociological Association, Yokohama, Japan. July 15.
2014	"Global Unions, Local Power." Bloomsburg University, Bloomsburg, PA. April 9.
2013	"Organizing Uber Allies: Codetermination, Social Partnership, and the Organizing Model in Germany." Berlin, Germany. July 5.
2012	"The Globalization of the Organizing Model." Columbia University, New York, NY. January 23.
2012	"Global Governance and Supply Chain Activism." Watson Institute for International Studies. Brown University, Providence, RI. November 9–10.
2011	"Cross-National Study of IFA Implementation from North America to the Global South." London School of Economics, London, UK. December 12.
2010	"Comparative Implementation of International Framework Agreements in the Global Service Sector." Global Labor University, Berlin. September.
2007	"For Knowledge and Power: Changing Paradigms of Worker Education Movements." Fernand Braudel Center for the Study of Economies, Historical Systems, and Civilizations at Binghamton University. May.

SELECT CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

2017	"Rule <i>making</i> as Worker Power." The Graduate Center, CUNY. Conference on Frances Fox Piven in the Age of Trump. October 11.
2017	"Workers of the World: On Methodological Nationalism and Reimagining Labor as a Global Force." American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, Montreal, Quebec. August 13.
2017	Student Forum Roundtable Session (Presider). American Sociological Association Annual Meeting Montreal, Quebec. August 12.
2016	"Fully Digitized Labor Sociology for the Big Screen." Middlebury College. May 18.
2014	"Labor and Global Governance Struggles." American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, San Francisco, CA. August 18.
2013	"The Globalization of the Organizing Model—The Impact of U.S. Unionism Around the World." American Sociological Association Annual Meeting, New York City. August 10.
2013	Global Unions, Local Power. "Labor Transnationalism from North America to the Global South." Transnational Industrial Relations and the Search for Alternatives. Work and Employment Research Unit, University of Greenwich, London.
2013	"Global Unions, Local Power: Labor Transnationalism from North America to the Global South." American Sociological Association Mini Conference, "Labor and Global Solidarity: The US, China, and Beyond." New York City. August 12.
2011	"Making Theory Work For You." Middlebury College, Research Methods Class Guest Lecture. September.
2011	"Global Unions, Local Power: A Comparative Analysis of Labor Transnationalism." University of California at Los Angeles. June 11.
2010	"Resolving the Global-Local Paradox in Labor Transnationalism." Global Studies Association, Champagne Urbana, IL. May.
2010	"Labor Transnationalism and Migration." Left Forum: The Center Cannot Hold. March.
2010	"Resolving the Global-Local Paradox in Labor Transnationalism." Global Studies Association, Champagne Urbana. IL. May.
2009	"Labour Transnationalism in South Africa and India." University of the Witswatersrand. Johannesburg, South Africa. June.
2009	"Global Unionism." Left Forum: Turning Points. April.

THESES AND INDEPENDENT STUDY PROJECTS DIRECTED

2020	
2020	"Transnational Surrogacy in Spain and the United States," Ginger Adams
2020	"Spanish Populism and Global Trumpism," Mimi Soule.
2020	"The West Virginia Teachers' Strike and New Forms of Labor Power," Tim
	O'Donnell.
2018	"Urban Parks and Socioeconomic Gradients in Mental Health," Sawyer Crosby.
2018	"A Close Miss: Examining Attitudes Toward Gun Control After a Thwarted School
2010	Shooting," Michael Kravitz.
2018	"Out of the Classroom and into the Streets: Understanding Intersectional Theory's
2010	
	Travels on Twitter Through the Women's March on Washington," Margot
2017	Babington.
2017	"Cucks, Shills, and Globalists: The Function of Media Spectacle in American Alt-
	Right Press," Noah Liebmiller.
2017	"Defending and Redefining Sex Positivity," Maria Bobbitt-Chertock.
2017	"Work Hard, Play Harder: Invisible and Unpaid Student Labor Outside the
	Classroom," Adriana Ortiz-Burnham.
2017	"Working Class Discourses of Meritocracy and Upward Mobility: The Endurance of
	the American Dream Ideology," Tegan Whitney.
2017	"The F-Word," Sasha Whittle.
2015	"Modern Mobility: Flight Attendant Identity Construction and Performance in the
2015	Globalized Context," Michael Bernstein.
2015	"An Examination Blue-Green Coalitions and the Symbolic Construction of the Arctic
2013	National Wildlife Refuge by Labor, Environmental, and Corporate Groups,"
	Alexander Macmillan.
2015	
2015	"Food Sovereignty, Worker-Driven Social Responsibility, and 'El Nuevo Dia' of
	Milk with Dignity," Molly Hartnett Stuart.
2014	"Ethnographies with Activists: Exploring Models of Social Change," Hannah Bristol.
2014	"Family History in the Civil Rights Movement: Archival Research in New York
	City," Allie Yanson.
2014	"The Price of Sexual Citizenship: Queer Investments in the Carceral State," Jenny
	Marks.
2014	"From Punk to Politics: Pussy Riot and Riot Grrrl in the US," Sarah Marcus.
2014	"Learning Social Responsibility or Protecting the American Nobility? Understanding
	the Ideological Context of Middlebury College," Molly Shane.
2013	"Of Meat and Men: Vegetarianism Among Male Athletes and Perceptions of
2013	Masculinity," Stu Fram.
2013	"Is Small Really Beautiful?: Exploring Institutional Value Systems through
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2012	Vermont's Artisanal Food Economy," Carly Shumaker.
2013	"Overcoming Overwork: An Exploration of Student Parking Practices and Laziness,"
	Danielle Berry.
2013	"Huertas: Migrant Workers and Community Gardens," Jenny Marks and Molly
	Stuart (Spring 2012).
2013	"From Welfare to Workfare: Policy and Politics," Marcella Maki.
2013	"Political Economy and Neoliberal Globalization Podcast Project," Alice Oshima,
	Kate McCreary, and Alex Jackman.
2012	"Crossing the Ideological Border: A Sociological Examination of Hanawon and
	Processes of North Korean Reintegration," Arthur Choo.
2012	"Patagonia Sin Represas: Resisting Neoliberal Order Through a Transnational
	Environmental Movement," Evan Doyle.
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2011 "Conceptualizing a Commodity-Labor Cycle: Mexican Migrant Workers in the Vermont Dairy Industry," Peter Cocoma.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS AND SERVICES

2020	Vice President, American Association of University Professors
2018-2019	Resources Committee
2018	Participant: PEN America event on speech, community, inclusion, Middlebury
2017–2018	SOAN Department Speaker Funds Manager
2015	Member: ASA Labor and Labor Movements Section Book Prize Committee
2014–2017	Member: Faculty Council, Middlebury College
2014	Member: Institutional Review Board, Middlebury College
2014	Member: Catton Prize Committee, Middlebury College
2014	Member: Society for the Study of Social Problems (Global Division)
2014	SOAN Department Senior Work Advisor, Middlebury College
2013	Member: Environmental Council, Middlebury College
2013-2015	SOAN Department Speaker Funds Manager
2012	Member: Faculty Advisory Board (Spain), Middlebury College
2010-2017	Member: Labor and Labor Movements section, American Sociological Association
2005-2014	Member: Board of Directors, Left Forum, New York, NY.
2011	Founding Member: Global and Transnational Sociology section, American
	Sociological Association